FY 2009 Capital Budget TPS Report 49073

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Grants to Municipalities (AS 37.05.315)

Grant Recipient: Anchorage

Project Title:

Anchorage - Kincaid Elementary School - New Computers For Teachers

State Funding Requested: \$ 36,000 House District: 27 - N

One-Time Need

Brief Project Description:

Purchase new laptops for teachers; improve school instructional program.

Funding Plan:

Total Cost of Project: \$36,000

<u>Funding Secured</u> <u>Other Pending Requests</u> <u>Anticipated Future Need</u>

Amount FY Amount FY Amount FY

There is no other funding needed

Detailed Project Description and Justification:

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Authentic opportunities to learn with/from students emerge.

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Total Project Snapshot Report FY 2009 Capital Budget TPS Report 49073 Laptops provide personal space for creating, exploring and collecting ideas, work and knowledge in a more fluid manner. Laptops provide a learning laboratory for intellectual exploration and creative expression. Learning extends beyond the walls and hours of the school **Project Timeline:** Equipment will be purchased when funds become available. **Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:** Anchorage School District **Grant Recipient Contact Information:** Contact Name: Janet Wells, PTA President Phone Number: 907-345-5530 Address: 4900 Raspberry Rd. Anchorage, AK 99503 Email: Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? X Yes No

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Capital request Form

Jane here is the general response to the boxes 1 & 3. I do not know how to respond to other boxes

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Laptops for teachers are needed. Computer assisted instruction enables teachers to differentiate instruction based on student readiness, needs, skills, and interest. Authentic opportunities to learn, create and communicate with students emerge. Students and teachers collaborate to think, learn and express knowledge.

2 \$35,168 (32 computers at \$1099.00)

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